H. B. 286, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Sub-section 1 of Section 4 of Chapter 25, of the Public Laws of 1941, creating the Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System.

Passes it second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 297, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1941, as to the definition of contract hauler vehicles under the Motor Vehicle Law.

Passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 298, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 407 of the Public Laws of 1937, so as to exclude from the definition of for hire passenger vehicles, vehicles operated on a "share the expense" plan.

Passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 300, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 227 of the Public Laws of 1941, reducing the minimum fee for truck licenses bearing farmer plates, and to broaden the definition of farmer therein.

On motion of Mr. Allen, Arch T., the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

Committee substitute for H. B. 304, a bill to be entitled An act to make prosecution for violation of Article 3(A) of Chapter 55 of Volume III of the Consolidated Statutes of North Carolina, as amended, relating to gasoline tax, mandatory, and to amend Sub-section 15 of Section 24 of Chapter 145 of the Public Laws of 1931, as amended, relating to refunds.

On motion of Mr. Everett, the Committee substitute bill is adopted.

On motion of Mr. Richardson, the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 306, a bill to be entitled An act to establish a standard rule of measurement of saw logs or other round timber.

An amendment offered by Mr. Tompkins is adopted.

An amendment offered by Mr. Halstead is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 307, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 114, Public Laws of 1941, the North Carolina Seed Law, to include hybrid corn seed.

Passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 310, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 7, Chapter 47, Public Laws of 1927, entitled "An Act to amend certain Sections in the present Banking Laws, being Chapter 4, Public Laws of 1921 and amendments thereto," as amended, so as to strike out the section enacted by said Section 7 and by substituting a new section for the section stricken out.

On motion of Mr. Ramsay, the Committee amendment is adopted.

As amended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 314, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the participation by the North Carolina School for the Deaf at Morganton in the free distribution of textbooks and the State Textbook Rental System operated by the State of North Carolina.